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Applicant(s): WATANABE et al.	Atty. Dkt.: 12-017
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Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Date: December 20, 2001

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.56, the reference(s) listed on the attached Form PTO-1449 is/are being submitted for consideration by the Examiner without any admission that it/they constitute(s) statutory prior art, or without any admission that it/they contain(s) subject matter that anticipates the invention or renders the invention obvious to a person of ordinary skill in the art.

The Examiner is requested to initial the attached PTO Form-1449 and to return a copy of same to the undersigned attorney as proof that the listed reference(s) has/have been considered and made of record.

Respectfully submitted,



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U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

EXAMINER INITIAL		DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	NAME	CLASS	SUB CLASS
		6,014,599 (Corresponding to JP-A-10-71819)	Jan. 11, 2000	Inoue et al.		

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

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		DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	COUNTRY	NAME	CLASS	SUB CLASS	YES	NO
		JP-A-10-71819 (Discussed on page 1 of the spec.)	3/17/98	JAPAN				X	

OTHER REFERENCES (including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, etc.)

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